IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

CHRISTIAN DEJESUS,

Petitioner,

V.

Civil Action No. 06-553-JJF

THOMAS CARROLL,

Warden, and CARL C.

DANBERG, Attorney

General of the State of

Delaware,

Respondents.

ORDER

WHEREAS, you have filed a form petition for federal habeas corpus relief pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254; and

WHEREAS, the Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act of 1996 ("AEDPA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2244, effectively precludes petitioners from filing a second or subsequent habeas petition except in the most unusual of circumstances; and

WHEREAS, the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit has mandated that, before ruling on the merits of a your petition, you must be given notice that the AEDPA applies to your pending petition, see <u>United States v. Miller</u>, 197 F.3d 644 (3d Cir. 1999) and <u>Mason v. Meyers</u>, 208 F.3d 414 (3d Cir. 2000).

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this 18 day of September, 2006, that, on or before 001.27,2006, you must file the attached election form with the Court. Failure to

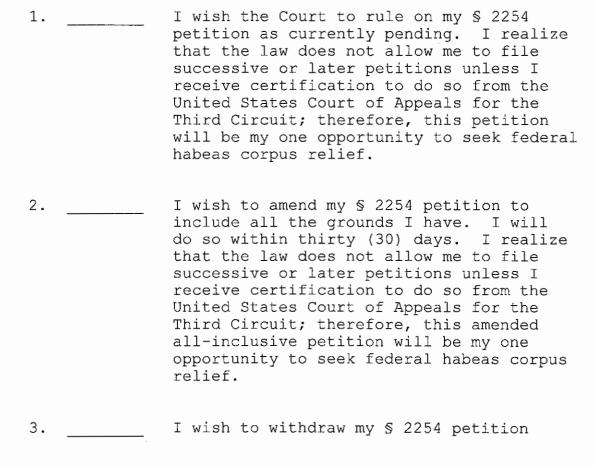
timely return the completed election form will result in the Court's ruling on your pending petition as filed.

United States District Judge

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without prejudice to file one all-inclusive petition in the future; that is, one that raises all the grounds I have for federal habeas corpus relief. I realize this all-inclusive petition must be filed within the one-year period as defined by 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d). See Swartz v. Meyers, 204 F.3d 417 (3d Cir. 2000).

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